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In re the Patent Application of Al Waschka and Robert Boyd

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**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop Amendment (FEE)**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 5, 2003, the Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks.

**In the claims:**

Please amend Claims 1, 8, 12, 17 and 18.

Please add new Claims 19 and 20.